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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

"Deployed aircrew reservists return today"

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YOUNGSTOWN AIR RESERVE STATION, OHIO – Air Force Reservists from the 910th Airlift Wing will return today after a deployment in support of the U.S. war against terrorism.

Eleven activated aircrew members from the 757th Airlift Squadron are scheduled to return today, May 20, between 12:30 p.m. and 1:30 p.m.

The activated reservists are returning from a 60-day deployment to an airbase in Kuwait used for movement of people and supplies supporting Operations Enduring Freedom and Iraqi Freedom.

The current combined activation of nearly 500 reservists marks the single largest activation in the history of Youngstown Air Reserve Station.

The primary mission of the 910th Airlift Wing is to deliver personnel and cargo by airdrop and air-land techniques anywhere in the world as directed.

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MEDIA ADVISORY: If you are planning on covering this homecoming event, <u>please contact</u> the 910th Airlift Wing Public Affairs office today at (330) 609-1236 to RSVP. Interested news media should plan on arriving at Youngstown Air Reserve Station today between 12 p.m. and 12:30 p.m.